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For: OPTICAL RECORDING METHOD AND OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM

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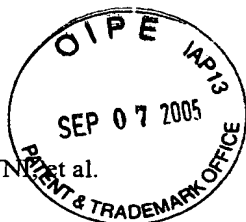
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Before issuance as a patent, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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